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WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : AUSTRALIA, JANUARY 1967  
PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES

This preliminary statement of Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment for the month of January 1967 will be followed by the monthly bulletin "Employment and Unemployment", which gives information in greater detail.

The estimates contained herein are based on comprehensive data derived for the purpose from the Population Census of June, 1961. They are obtained from three main sources, namely, (a) current Pay-roll Tax returns; (b) current returns from Government bodies; and (c) some other direct current records of employment. These data have been supplemented by estimates of changes in the number of wage and salary earners not covered by the foregoing collections. The figures are subject to revision.

For reasons of space, minor revisions which are sometimes necessary in respect of earlier months cannot be shown. Any such revisions are incorporated in the following issue of the monthly bulletin "Employment and Unemployment".

Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

TABLE 1. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : STATES AND TERRITORIES  
(Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces)  
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State or Territory	1965	1966		1967
	December	January	December	January
MALES				
New South Wales	988.3	989.2	1,004.9	1,002.1
Victoria	729.5	732.2	744.0	745.8
Queensland	324.1	323.8	329.5	330.8
South Australia	240.8	241.7	241.8	242.8
Western Australia	177.6	178.4	r182.4	182.1
Tasmania	80.4	80.3	82.6	82.7
Northern Territory	9.8	9.9	10.6	10.5
Australian Capital Territory	25.6	25.9	27.0	26.9
AUSTRALIA:	2,576.1	2,581.4	r2,622.8	2,623.8
FEMALES				
New South Wales	424.1	422.3	439.7	435.9
Victoria	322.5	321.7	335.3	335.3
Queensland	125.2	124.5	130.5	129.9
South Australia	94.9	95.7	98.2	98.7
Western Australia	64.9	64.7	r68.6	68.7
Tasmania	29.5	29.2	30.8	30.4
Northern Territory	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.7
Australian Capital Territory	12.3	12.4	13.9	14.0
AUSTRALIA:	1,076.8	1,074.0	r1,120.7	1,116.4
PERSONS				
New South Wales	1,412.4	1,411.5	1,444.6	1,438.0
Victoria	1,052.0	1,053.9	1,079.3	1,081.1
Queensland	449.3	448.3	460.0	460.7
South Australia	335.7	337.4	340.0	341.5
Western Australia	242.5	243.1	r251.0	250.8
Tasmania	109.9	109.5	113.4	113.1
Northern Territory	13.2	13.3	14.3	14.2
Australian Capital Territory	38.0	38.3	40.9	40.9
AUSTRALIA:	3,652.9	3,655.4	r3,743.5	3,740.2

TABLE 2. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT - INDUSTRY GROUPS : AUSTRALIA  
 (Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces)  
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Industry Group, etc.	1965		1966		1967
	December	January	December	January	
MALES					
Manufacturing	946.1	948.9	957.4	961.4	
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary Services	94.8	96.3	98.3	99.4	
Building and Construction	303.2	304.0	299.2	297.9	
Transport and Storage	201.1	201.4	202.8	202.1	
Communication	81.8	80.6	84.2	82.9	
Finance and Property	97.6	99.3	102.2	103.7	
Commerce	400.9	397.3	405.7	401.5	
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	112.7	113.6	119.4	120.5	
Community and Business Services	188.2	189.9	r197.3	198.3	
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	88.1	87.8	92.7	92.2	
Other Industries (a)	61.6	62.1	63.8	64.0	
TOTAL:	2,576.1	2,581.4	r2,622.8	2,623.8	
Private Employment	1,849.4	1,851.1	1,872.8	1,872.2	
Government Employment (b)	726.7	730.3	r750.0	751.6	
FEMALES					
Manufacturing	294.8	294.7	299.3	300.1	
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary Services	7.1	7.3	7.5	7.6	
Building and Construction	6.9	6.9	7.3	7.3	
Transport and Storage	20.3	20.3	21.2	21.3	
Communication	22.2	21.6	23.4	22.6	
Finance and Property	64.6	66.6	68.3	69.7	
Commerce	246.7	241.4	254.5	248.1	
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	43.9	44.3	48.6	49.1	
Community and Business Services	269.8	270.8	r283.0	283.4	
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	98.5	98.1	105.2	105.0	
Other Industries (a)	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.4	
TOTAL:	1,076.8	1,074.0	r1,120.7	1,116.4	
Private Employment	886.3	881.9	r916.5	911.8	
Government Employment (b)	190.5	192.1	r204.2	204.6	
PERSONS					
Manufacturing	1,240.9	1,243.6	1,256.6	1,261.5	
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary Services	101.9	103.6	105.7	106.9	
Building and Construction	310.0	310.9	306.5	305.2	
Transport and Storage	221.4	221.7	224.1	223.4	
Communication	104.0	102.2	107.6	105.5	
Finance and Property	162.2	165.9	170.5	173.3	
Commerce	647.6	638.7	660.2	649.6	
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	156.6	157.9	168.0	169.6	
Community and Business Services	458.0	460.7	r480.3	481.7	
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	186.6	185.9	197.9	197.2	
Other Industries (a)	63.7	64.3	66.2	66.4	
TOTAL:	3,652.9	3,655.4	r3,743.5	3,740.2	
Private Employment	2,735.7	2,733.1	r2,789.2	2,784.0	
Government Employment (b)	917.2	922.3	r954.3	956.2	

(a) Includes Forestry, Fishing and Trapping; and Mining and Quarrying. (b) Includes employees, within Australia, of government bodies (Commonwealth, State, Local and semi-government) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education (including universities), broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories and munitions establishments, departmental hospitals and institutions, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees. r - Revised.

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